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Subject: Submittal of Final Work Plan for the Soil Amendment Technology Evaluation Study

Phase I: Test Plot Characterization and Initial Amendments Alternatives Evaluation

Dear Kira:

The Final Work Plan for the Soil Amendment Technology Evaluation Study Phase I: Test Plot Characterization and Initial Amendments Alternatives Evaluation is attached. This version incorporates the text edits as indicated in your conditional approval letter to Teck American Incorporated dated July 24, 2017; however, the requested Ohio State University Laboratory Quality Assurance Program Plan and Standard Operating Procedures related to this effort will be submitted to you under separate cover.

The field program is currently scheduled to begin the week of August 14, 2017. We expect to share the preliminary results of that field effort with you and the remainder of the team in September 2017 to develop consensus on the final test plots to carry forward for full characterization and use in the SATES program.

Sincerely,

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